



Preschool – Poohs & Teddy Bears

Our **Pooh Bears** preschool classroom is designed for children that are 2 years old by September 30th.

Our **Teddy Bears** preschool classroom is designed for children that are 3 years old by September 30th and fully pottier trained.

Preschool is an introduction to early childhood education and being part of the classroom.

Daily activities in both classes include:

Circle Time – a daily group activity that builds on early learning concepts like abc's, counting, colors, shapes, and songs. We encourage group discussion by talking about the weather, seasons, what we've been doing in class, holidays and what we did over the weekend. It's an opportunity to chat and express ourselves.

Table Activities – coloring, puzzles, art projects and worksheets that reinforce and provide practice with what we've been learning.

Dancing and Singing – it's always fun to be silly and get our circulation flowing.

We spend time outside the classroom visiting our Playroom and Playground, a fun time spent with friends where we can use our imagination!

We have snack (provided by us) at 10:00 and 3:30, lunch (provided by you) at Noon and we nap (on small sleeping bags) from 12:30 until about 2:30. Diaper changes and bathroom breaks are scheduled at timely intervals.

What we teach (P)ooohs and (T)eddies:

Reciting the alphabet, spelling our name, counting from 1 to 20 (P) 30 (T), tracing (P), printing letters (T), primary colors, secondary colors (T), basic shapes, the Pledge of Allegiance, the ability to stay seated during activities, lining up and walking quietly through halls, being nice, sharing, taking turns, using manners. Additional Teddies curriculum: President, Vice President, White House, flag facts, capitol and population of NJ, States are taught along with Letter of the week.

Report cards are sent home in January and June.

What you'll need to bring:

- An insulated bag with an ice pack to keep food/juice chilled
- A change of clothing including an undershirt and socks
- A small sleeping bag, placed in a pillowcase for storage
- (P) Diapers, wipes, ointments and any necessary medications

- All of these items should be marked with your child's name -